

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

versus

JOHN SARPY

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CRIMINAL DOCKET 4:18-CR-718-01
JUDGE VANESSA GILMORE

UNOPPOSED MOTION TO CONTINUE SENTENCING HEARING

TO THE HONORABLE VANESSA GILMORE:

John Sarpy asks to continue his sentencing hearing and shows the following in support of this request:

1. Sarpy pleaded guilty to one count of wire fraud. His sentencing hearing is scheduled for October 5, 2020, at 9:30 am
2. Sarpy was initially represented by the Federal Public Defender's Office. The undersigned was appointed after a sealed, ex parte motion to withdraw was filed.
3. The Covid-19 pandemic has made it difficult to meet with Sarpy to discuss the case, and to otherwise prepare for sentencing. The undersigned will be unable to render effective assistance of counsel if the sentencing hearing is held as currently scheduled.
4. Sarpy requests the Court to continue the sentencing hearing for 30 days.
5. The AUSA unopposed to this motion.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ David Adler

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A copy of this motion was served upon the AUSA by e-mail on September 29, 2020.

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CERTIFICATE OF CONFERENCE

The AUSA is unopposed to this motion.

/s/ David Adler

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ORDER ON UNOPPOSED MOTION TO CONTINUE SENTENCING HEARING

Sarpy's unopposed motion to continue the sentencing hearing is:

Granted,

Sarpy's sentencing hearing will begin at _____ am pm on _____, 20____.

Denied.

Signed on _____, 2020.

Vanessa Gilmore
United States District Judge